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14 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
15 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
16
17 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

18 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

19 Plaintiff,

20 v.

21 LUCAS NOVICK,

22 Defendant.

Case No.: CR 23-00017-JD

STIPULATION TO CONTINUE
SENTENCING HEARING FROM JULY
28, 2025, TO AUGUST 11, 2025

23 This case is currently set for sentencing in this Court at 10:30 a.m. on July 28, 2025.
24 For the following reasons, it is hereby stipulated by and between counsel for the United States
25 and counsel for the defendant Lucas Michael Novick that the Court continue the sentencing
26 hearing by two weeks to 10:30 a.m. on August 11, 2025.

27 On March 4, 2025, Mr. Novick entered a guilty plea to Count One of the Indictment for
28 Possession with Intent to Distribute and Distribution of Fentanyl, in violation of 21 U.S.C.
§§ 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(C). Dkt. 67. On May 12, 2025, The Superior Court of California,
County of Marin issued an Order for the transfer of Mr. Novick from federal custody to the

1 custody of the Marin County Sheriff's Office for criminal proceedings scheduled for 9:30 a.m.
 2 on May 19, 2025, in the Superior Court of California, County of Marin. Dkt. 70. On June 24,
 3 2025, this Court issued a Writ of Habeas Corpus ad Prosequendum to return Mr. Novick to
 4 federal custody by June 30, 2025. Dkt. 72. On June 27, 2025, defense counsel reached out to
 5 the U.S. Marshal Service to confirm whether Mr. Novick had already been writ into federal
 6 custody and where Mr. Novick would be detained in federal custody for the purposes of
 7 scheduling a meeting with Mr. Novick to review and respond to the draft Presentence
 8 Investigation Report (PSR). On July 1, 2025, defense counsel was informed that Mr. Novick
 9 was now in federal custody but that he was still physically located at Marin County Jail
 10 pending transport to a different location at a time to be determined. On July 2, 2025, the U.S.
 11 Marshal Service provided information to defense counsel about Mr. Novick's planned
 12 whereabouts with sufficient certainty to allow defense counsel to schedule a meeting with Mr.
 13 Novick. However, the Presentence Investigation Report objections are due to U.S. Probation
 14 today, July 2, 2025, and the final PSR is due to the Court on Monday, July 7, 2025. Defense
 15 counsel therefore requests a short continuance to provide an opportunity for counsel to meet
 16 with Mr. Novick to review and respond to the draft PSR.

17 The parties have confirmed the availability of United States Probation for the proposed
 18 sentencing date of August 11, 2025.

19 IT IS SO STIPULATED.

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 21 July 2, 2025
 22 Dated

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July 2, 2025
Dated

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

July 7, 2025

Dated



JAMES DONATO
United States District Judge